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Serial No. : 09/710,061
Filed : November 10, 2000
For : MULTI-MODE LIGHT DETECTION SYSTEM

Box NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT** for filing in the above-identified application:

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

Claims as Amended
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| | Claims remaining after amendment | | Highest number previously paid for | Present extra | Rate | Additional fee |
| Total Claims | 26 | Minus | 26 | 0 | \$ 9.00 | = \$ 00.00 |
| Independent Claims | 03 | Minus | 03 | 0 | \$ 40.00 | = \$ 00.00 |
| | | | This additional fee for this amendment | | | \$ 00.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

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Preliminarily to the examination of the above-identified application, please enter
the following amendment:

In the specification:

On page 10, line 12, after "Figure" please delete "1" and replace with --2--.

On page 14, line 6, after "Figure" please delete "2" and replace with --3--.

On page 20, line 7, after "Figure" please delete "3" and replace with --4--.

On page 21, line 8, after "Figure" please delete "4" and replace with --5--.

On page 21, line 18, after "Figures" please delete "5-8" and replace with --6-9--.

On page 23, line 2, after "Figures" please delete "5-7" and replace with --6-8--.

On page 27, line 16, after "Figure" please delete "7" and replace with --8--.



On page 32, line 3, after "Figures" please delete ~~5, 6, and 8~~ and replace with --6 and 7--.

On page 36, line 18, after "Figures" please delete "5, 6, and 8" and replace with -
-6, 7, and 9--.

On page 37, line 17, after "Figure" please delete "5" and replace with --6--.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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